

Amendments to the Specification:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.121(b) kindly amend the specification as follows. Amendments to the specification are made by presenting replacement paragraphs or sections marked up to show changes made relative to the immediate prior version. The changes in any amended paragraph or section are being shown by ~~striketrough~~ (for deleted matter) or underlined (for added matter).

Please replace the paragraph on page 5, lines 21-23 with the following:

An exemplary inhalation device that can be adapted for purposes of the present invention is disclosed in U.S. Pat. No. 5,161,524 to Evans, the disclosure of which is hereby incorporated by reference. Evans discloses a breath-actuated inhalator having a primary and a secondary air flow conduit. The portable dosage inhalator dispenses to a patient a predetermined amount of a pharmacologically active dry powder compound. The inhalator includes a housing defining an air exit end for insertion into the mouth of a patient. The inhalator also includes a primary air conduit within the housing and defining a venturi within the primary air conduit. The inhalator further includes a secondary air conduit within the housing adjacent the primary air conduit. The inhalator controls air flow velocity therethrough during inhalation by the patient. A regulator normally closes the secondary air conduit to air flow and is adapted to move between a first position where the secondary air conduit is substantially closed and a second position where the secondary air conduit is substantially open in response to air pressure differentials created in the venturi of the primary air conduit as a patient inhales through the air exit end of the housing.